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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4005
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SUBJ; DC 8 FOR GABON

REF: STATE 92244 NOTAL, STATE 77438 NOTAL AND STATE
85559 NOTAL

1. EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT OF OAU TO UN, IN MAY 7 LETTER TO
USUN, "HAS HONOR, ON REQUEST OF HE PRES ALBERT BERNARD BONGO
OF REPUBLIC OF GABON, TO INFORM IT THAT HE HAS DECIDED TO BUY
A PRIVATE PLANE FROM THE US. PLANE, WHICH IS A DC8 - 63,
WILL BE TRANSFORMED INTO A VIP PLANE IN FRANCE AND WILL BE
OPERATED BY UTA."
2. OAU LETTER INCLUDES COPY OF LETTER FROM BONGO TO OAU IN
NY. MISSION TRANSLATION FOLLOWS:
"I HAVE HONOR TO INFORM YOU THAT I HAVE DECIDED TO PURCHASE
IN THE US AN AIRPLANE OF THE TYPE DC8 -63, FORM MAY PERSONAL USE.
5#8 -84:4-*5, WHICH IS IN THE PROCESS OF BEING TRANSFORMED
INTO A VIP VERSION IN FRANCE, WILLBE OPERATED BY THE COMPANY
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UTA. I ASK YOU, THEREFORE, TO BRING THIS INFORMATION TO THE

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ATTENTION OF THE ACTING PRES OF THE OAU. I ALSO WOULD APPRECIATE
YOUR BRINGING THIS TO THE ATTENTION OF THE AMERICAN DEPT
OF STATE.".
3. COPIES OF LETTERS BEING POUCHED DEPT AND LIBREVILLE.
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